## **ABSTRACT**

- 1 A transmitter on a bottomhole assembly (BHA) is used for generating a transient
- 2 electromagnetic signal in an earth formation. A receiver on the BHA receives signals that
- 3 are indicative of formation resistivity and distances to bed boundaries. The transmitter
- 4 and receiver may have axes that are parallel to or inclined to the axis of the BHA. The
- 5 transmitter and the receiver are on a tubular on a damping portion of the BHA that
- 6 includes cuts for attenuating eddy currents. The damping portion may include non
- 7 conducting material such as a ferrite on the outer surface.

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